

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Carlo Proserpio

Application No.: 10/062,303

Group: 3643

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Examiner: Jeffrey L. Gellner

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Sir:

The undersigned attorney petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in reply to the Advisory Action dated June 22, 2004 for one month, from June 22, 2004 to July 22, 2004 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

Applicants' Attorney is not filing a Notice of Appeal at this time but is filing a Supplemental Amendment concurrently herewith.

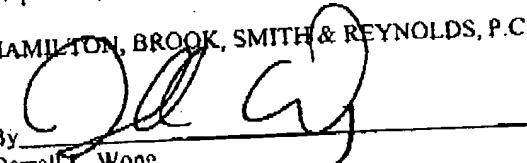
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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.

A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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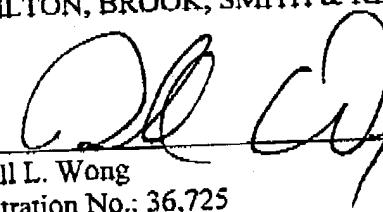
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